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A Little "BS" ... That's Bruce's Sidecar

It only takes three little words to have success .....

It was in 2009 at Wing Ding 31 in Tulsa, OK when I heard **Glenn and Carol White** end their presentation during the International COY selection with these three simple words:

"**Participate ... Participate ... Participate!**"

Glenn coined this phrase in reference to joining the fun available throughout our organization. He knew from his Chapter experience that participation was a key to having fun. Now you might wonder just how these three words can bring success.

Imagine 15 people just sitting in the same room each month doing the same thing month, after month, after month. They go to a winter event and sit together, then a summer rally and sit together, never mingling with others. Soon only ten people are there and as time passes even fewer attend until no one shows. Now, imagine these same 15 people attending other events and mingling and making friends with other Chapters, Districts and Regions. By participating they will meet additional people who are having more fun. Because of the increased participation and fun they begin to recruit other people to join with them. These 15 people soon become 20, then 25, because of increased fun as a result of increased participation.

A successful Chapter is one that participates in other events in addition to their own and stretches their GWRRA family beyond their Chapter members. By branching out and joining other Chapter, District, and National events members will have more fun. When people are having a good time it is contagious and growth WILL happen.

"It's the journey .... not the destination."

Bruce S. Watkins
Region E Director

Successful ways to recruit new members from

Missouri Chapter I

Give perspective members a coupon for a free meal for the next monthly Chapter gathering. When they return the next month provide them with a membership application.

Bob & Nicki Fowkes
Region E Assistant Directors

I am so proud of the volunteers we have in Region E because all that needs to be done is tell everyone that you need help, and people respond in the most generous ways. We got word the other day that the volunteers of Region E have performed at such an outstanding level that we (Region E Team) have been asked to recruit the sales associates for GWRRA's **Official Products Booth at Wing Ding 37** in Huntsville, Alabama. You will most often hear us call it the "goodie booth" and every year it gets bigger and better than the year before. I remember the first year Nicki and I volunteered to help at the goodie booth there were only a few shirts and we had all of the pins, patches, belt buckles, etc. for our members to purchase, but very little in the way of something special to take home. Each year since then, the booth has grown with better merchandise and we've required more space to function. The years are starting to run together a little bit for me but I think last year was the first year we had a men's section and a women's section which included riding jackets. I guess I'm just a roadie (*a roadie is a person that sets up equipment for traveling musicians*) at heart because for me, as **the "Goodie Booth" Coordinator**, it's always the excitement and challenge of facing something new each year that gets me fired up. Nothing has ever been exactly the same as the year before. Sometimes it's the space we have to work with and other times it's been something else, but we make do with what we have and have fun while we're doing it. The best part is meeting all of those fellow GWRRA members from just about everywhere you can imagine. All you have to do is help your fellow ***Wingers*** pick out what they wish to purchase. The **Region E Team**, along with the home office crew, do the rest. Now having said that, we will need your help preparing the booth the day before opening ceremonies, and we will try to make your time helping us as much fun as possible and did I mention that the time you spend with us just flies by.

We have a new sign-up sheet on our **Region E website** that shows the days and times we need your help. So please, as soon as you have made your plans for Wing Ding, make volunteering for our "goodie booth" one of those planned stops. Just go to the Region E website and click on "Goodie Booth" in the left side-bar under the Region E section or on the link in the middle of the home page. The sign-up sheet is easy to fill out and you can change your mind at any time if you need to reschedule. This helps everyone understand when we need volunteers for a specific period.

Food for thought - There have been years when my home chapter has filled a shift (ten people for three hours) and we had a blast. Maybe you can put together your own team and fill a shift. Many helping hands make light work for everyone and that's when we have the most fun.

Thank you for all that you do.

Bob & Nicki Fowkes
Region E Assistant Directors

Lonnie & Diane Borseth
Region E Assistant Directors

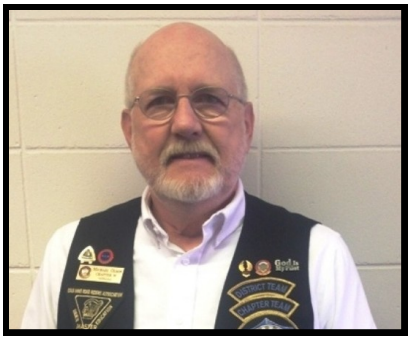
It's springtime in the Midwest when we say GOODBYE to Frosty and the snow covered trees and HELLO to our motorcycles. Hello motorcycle, remember me?

There has already been several winter events, be it District or Chapter. We hope you have been able to get out and enjoy the festivities your District or Chapter Team has organized for you. Please remember they put a lot of time and effort into each activity, so please try to attend these. Put yourself in their place. Let's say you spend ten hours preparing for a party, and then four people show up. Obviously you're a little disappointed, so next time you only spend maybe five hours and the same four people show up. Unfortunately, pretty soon you would spend no time and the same four people would show up. So try and show up and get to know the people better and see how much different people react to more people around. Conversations, laughter, and idea swapping are all great things at events!

Plans are under way for a GREAT Region E Rally in Green Bay. Be sure to mark your calendars for this event. Also, **Bob Fowkes** has done another great job getting the "Goodie Booth" sign-up for Wing Ding on the Region website. If you're going to be at Wing Ding, please take a few hours and help out at the Goodie Booth. Guaranteed, you'll see and meet people from all over the world. It's a very good time and the time just flies by.

Lonnie & Diane Borseth
Region E Assistant Directors
Go Hawks!

Michael Olson
Region E Motorist Awareness Division Coordinator



With the advent of warm weather coming soon, we hope, more people will be getting their cycles ready for the riding season. Hopefully, there have been opportunities for **Motorist Awareness Coodinators** at the chapter or district level to make presentations to the general public, which should help to increase their keeping a lookout for cycles on the road. Everyone can share this idea with their family and friends. Increasing awareness might just save someone's life that you know.

Here for a safer ride,
Michael Olson
Region E MAD Coordinator

Jerry & Sue Allhands
Region E Rider Educators

With the bitter cold of winter finally leaving, it is time to think motorcycles. Some in the southern part of the Region are already riding. Those of us who live a little further north are just not seeing the grass. No matter where you live maintenance is important before you get on the road. Check everything out - oil changes, change the oil and fluids if needed. The Honda service manual says we should change all of the fluids every two years, including antifreeze. Tires are another concern. Check the wear and replace if the tread depth is 2/32 or down to the wear bars. Air is good to have for tires. Check your MOM (motorcycle owner's manual) for the correct tire pressure. Under inflation causes heat and excessive tire wear. It can also cause handling problems of the bike.

Once you have all that done it is time to think about taking a riding course. Personally I like to do this as early as possible. By taking a course early it gives you a chance to get the cob webs dusted off and your mind back to thinking about all the things you need to brush up on to ride safe. Like a good tune-up.

We should realize that the motoring public has not seen a motorcycle for a while so they will not be looking for you. Keep this in mind for the first couple of rides. They need to get used to watching out for us also.

With that in mind, have a great riding season and we will see you on the road somewhere.

Don't forget to "cover anything you would like to use later in life."

Ride smart, Ride safe.
Jerry and Sue Allhands
Region E Educators

Steve & Diane Gottschalk
Region E Membership Enhancement Coordinators

RIDE TO HAVE FUN

Spring is here. We are ready to ride and have fun. There is always plenty of "FUN" to be had with GWRRA, from large national rallies, such as Wing Ding, to the individual chapter events, such as a charity fun run or ice cream run, all guarantee and emphasize "FUN." Rallies and GWRRA events are a great place to make new friends and get together again with old friends!

We recently attended the Illinois Winter Warm up, Indiana Winter Rendezvous, and Missouri Spring Fling rallies and had a great time. No two events are alike, even if they are held in the same location year after year.

At your first event you may be tempted to try to do everything. That is almost impossible and by the end of the day you will be tired and not having a good time. Take some time to sit down and people watch or visit with old and new friends. Pace yourself, take in some seminars, play games, and relax! Your outlook can affect your enjoyment of the event. If you are looking to have fun, you will. It is up to you to get involved + participate = fun. Steve and I hope to see you out there this year during our many scheduled events. Plan on participating and having fun. We sure do!

Upcoming Region E/District Events
April 17-18 - IL District Safety Weekend in Vandalia, IL
May 1-2 - IL District Safety Weekend in Sterling, IL
May 15-17- Dust Off 2015, Galesville, WI Champions Riverside Resort
June 4-6 - MO District Rally, Branson, MO
June 25-27-Nebraska/So Dakota Rally, Sioux Falls, So Dakota
July 10-12- Minnesota/No Dakota Rally, Grand Rapids, MN
July 24-25 - IL District Summer Rally, Days Inn, Rock Falls, IL
August 6-8 - Region E Rally, Radisson Hotel & Conference Center, Green Bay, WI
August 8 - MO Chapter I Fun Run
September 18-19- WI District Rally, Wisconsin Dells, WI
September 18-20 - Southern Illinois Ride In, DuQuoin State Fairgrounds, DuQuoin, IL
September 25-26- Iowa District Rally, Toledo, Iowa

Other Upcoming Events Out of Region E
March 19-21- FL District Convention, Kissimmee, FL
March 26-28 - LA Convention, Lafayette, LA
April 16-18 - Region H Convention, Marshall, TX
April 30-May 2 - TX Convention, Tyler, TX
May 14-16- AL District Convention, Eufaula, AL
May 21-23 - AR Convention, Harrison, AR
June 18-20 - Reno Rendezvous, Grand Sierra Resort, Reno, NV
July 9-11 - Wings Over the Smokies, Cherokee, NC
September 3-6 - Wing Ding, Huntsville, AL
September 17-19 - KS Convention, Abilene, KS

Ride safe and have fun!
Steve & Diane Gottschalk
Region E Membership Enhancement Coordinators

Bill & Nancy James
Region E Leadership Trainers

What is Going on in Leadership Training and Why Training?

Hello Everyone! Things are really starting to move in the training arena. **Joe Price**, Training Director, and his Assistant Directors have been working on updating and improving the training available to all members. First off, the **Officer Certification Program (OCP)** is being rewritten and updated. OCP should be totally finalized/tested/updated from final inputs by mid-March. Another great program, **Horizon,** is being rewritten with new modules being completed.

Recently we sent out short descriptions of all Leadership Training, Membership Enhancement, and Rider Education seminars. Currently two Project Strategy Teams are working on updating/redoing/deleting all Leadership Training and Membership Enhancement seminars. Updates should be all completed in 6-8 weeks and will be released as they are completed.

The **University Trainer Development Program (UTDP)** for new presenters/trainers is being reviewed to see what needs updating. Looks like lots of needed updating and rewrites are really happening.

So that brings us to, "Why do we need (or want) to take Leadership Training." In GWRRA all training is "needs generated," meaning that all directors (Region, District and Chapter) responsible for operations have presenters and seminars available to support their needs and the needs of all the members. There are seminars to help members: understand GWRRA and its policies; learn more about the benefits you get by being a member; and learn about opportunities to participate and have FUN. Other seminars are specific to the Chapter. There is even an area for Life Skills that covers such things as Listening/ Communicating, to Stress and Time Management, and many things in between for any member.

Want to know why things are done the way they are? How about a seminar on Chapter Structure or What is a Chapter Director? So as you can see, there are many seminars that can help you as a member and more to help the officers of GWRRA. Remember: **Leadership Training is for <u>all</u> members!**

GWRRA doesn't stop there! We all know that GWRRA has a great Rider Education training program. Also, the relatively new Membership Enhancement training has many seminars from Couple of the Year, Chapter of the Year, to How to Participate in GWRRA. As you can see, there is training from getting on a bike to having fun at a chapter or a rally, and who knows what could be available in the future to serve the GWRRA members.

Let us know what we can present for your members. Take care, ride safe, and have a GREAT summer.

Bill & Nancy James
Region E and NE-District Leadership Trainers
"...every member deserves a well trained leader"

Wally & Jan Wallace
Region E Patch Shop Coordinators

Is it really Spring? Are we finally done with the snow, sleet, ice and yuk?? I'm not quite sure yet. It seems like every time I think it is finally here, we get another blast of cold and gloom. But I know that the seasons do change and eventually we will get there. We can get our motorcycles out of the garages and sheds, polish them off, and head out for some fun rides.

Hopefully you have been doing some planning while we have endured this cold winter. You have checked out the district rallies that you want to attend and have begun making reservations at hotels and campgrounds as well as sending in your registrations. Districts, as well as the Region, need to get as many pre-registrations as possible. It enables the teams to better prepare for the members and plan their fun events accordingly. Each rally is different, but there is one huge common thread: our friends will be there, having fun.

We feel very fortunate that when we joined GWRRA, we met the fine people in IA-E and made some life-long friends. Many of those friends were people who enjoyed attending rallies in Iowa as well as other districts in Region E. In traveling with those friends we attended district and region rallies all over the US. Again the common thread was there: our friends. We have met and become friends with people all over the US, mainly because we see them over and over again as we attend various rallies.

We still haven't decided on exactly which rallies we will be attending in 2015, but we do know that we will be in Green Bay in August with our friends at the Region E Rally. We will have a display set up again this year with our Patch Shop goodies and will be prepared to answer questions members may have.

Until next time, please remember that we are here to serve the members. The Patch Shop strives to answer inquiries as quickly as possible and fill orders in the shortest time possible. Call or email us if you have any questions or concerns.

Be safe,
Wally & Jan Wallace
Region E Patch Shop Coordinators

Let's Huddle in Green Bay

Region E Rally ~ August 6-8, 2015

Don & Cheri Walloch
Webmaster

It has been slightly over three months since our Region Director appointed us the Region Webmaster and Newsletter Editor. Since then we have redesigned the website and monthly newsletter.

In this day and age it is a tech world, whether you agree or not. It is the quickest and cheapest way to communicate in real time. Today we are video conferencing over the computer to establish a plan for rallies. In the past we would have to be pulled away from events or Ops meetings to discuss planning strategies.

Developing a new website for the Region has been exciting. We have gotten great cooperation from the whole **Region Team**. Each section - Leadership Training, Membership Enhancement, Rider Education, and even the Region Director - all had a great impact in developing the website. Yes, we built the sections and input their information, links, and pictures, but they developed it. We set guidelines and gave ideas, but they all provided the instructions as to what they would like on the website.

We are going to take a different approach to the website by setting the Home page as a news worthy page. Meaning, this is where you will find up-to-date notices such as information regarding the upcoming Ops meeting, sign up information and link to the sign-up sheet for the goodies booth, and sign-up form for the newsletter. You will also find a link to the new Region E Facebook page, so be a friend and start posting pictures of all your great rides!

Some things added to the Region website are an Events page, Calendar, staff descriptions and pictures. We will be introducing a Photobucket page where you'll be able to view pictures taken throughout the Region. At this time there are even videos under Rider Ed and Membership Enhancement. We are always upgrading the Tech Corner section where you will be able to read about different software we have tested and provided links for you to download. We are also updating a page under the Tech Corner section called Trips and Maps. We are providing maps and gps files that you will be able to download to your computer and use as a destination, or as routes once you get in the area.

We feel our position is to help provide and share any knowledge or experience we have and pass this on to the different Districts throughout our Region. One of the programs we used while holding a District position is a mass email system called Benchmark. The system is very user friendly and is currently being used by both Wisconsin and the Minnesota/North Dakota Districts. It is a great way to keep in touch with all the members within your District. Information and links are provided on the website under the Tech Corner section. If you are interested in learning more about this product, please feel free to give us a call or drop us an email.

Changes have also been made to the newsletter to make it more appealing and colorful. The Region has added a sponsorship page that will not only appear in your monthly newsletter, but also on the website.

In the future we hope to bring you a message board that will allow you to log in and chat with fellow members from all over the world. We also hope to expand our Tech Corner with helpful maintenance videos.

Please let us know any time you have ideas or modifications to the website. Remember, this is not our website, this is your website. We work for you, the member.

Don & Cheri Walloch
Region E Couple of the Year
Webmaster & Newsletter Editor

Region E

Don & Cheri Walloch
2014-2015 Region E
Couple of the Year

Michael Olson
2014-2015 Region E
Individual of the Year

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www.team-motorsports.com/

Foremost Insurance Group
http://foremost.com/
Phone: 1-800-237-2060

Hupy and Abraham
111 East Kilbourn Ave,
Suite 1100
Milwaukee WI 53202
http://www.hupy.com/

Harrison Convention & Visitors Bureau
Phone: 870-741-1789
harrisonarkansas.org

B & L Repair - Trikes Plus
699 E Gilman St,
Sheffield IA 50475
rep4@frontiernet.net

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Nashville TN 37214-0990
http://www.bridgestonetire.com

Region E

"America's Heartland"

GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION

Let's Huddle in Green Bay

REGION E RALLY
AUGUST 6-8, 2015

Region E Couple and Individual of the Year Selection · Seminars · Fun and Games · Raffle Prizes · 50/50 Tickets · Grand Parade or Light Parade

HOTEL: Radisson Hotel & Conference Center
2040 Airport Drive
Green Bay, Wisconsin

RESERVATIONS: 1-920-494-7300, Option 0

$90/night (includes breakfast) - **mention Gold Wing Road Riders Association**

Reservations must be made by July 16 to ensure the negotiated rate

WEBSITE: http://www.radisson.com/green-bay-hotel-wi-54313/greenbay

Questions: Bruce Watkins
573-450-8050
director@gwrra-region-e.org

For more information on our rally, please visit our website at www.gwrra-region-e.org

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Region E Rally Registration

August 6-8, 2015

Radisson Hotel & Conference Center
2040 Airport Drive
Green Bay, Wisconsin
1-920-494-7300, Option 0

$90/night - mention Gold Wing Road Riders Assoc—Region E Rally
Reservations must be made by July 16 to ensure the negotiated rate

Pre-register by August 1

Rider:_____ GWRRA No._____ Exp:_____

Co-Rider:_____ GWRRA No._____ Exp:_____

District: _____ Chapter:_____ Phone No._____

Address:_____

City, State, Zip:_____

Email:_____

Pre-registration before August 1, 2015		
Full Registration Member:	____ x $25.00 =	_____
Full Registration Non-member:	____ x $35.00 =	_____
Friday Day Pass Member:	____ x $15.00 =	_____
Saturday Day Pass Member:	____ x $15.00 =	_____
Friday Day Pass Non-Member:	____ x $20.00 =	_____
Saturday Day Pass Non-Member:	____ x $20.00 =	_____

AFTER August 1, 2015 and on-site full registration

Members: ____ x $30.00 = _____

Non-Members: ____ x $40.00 = _____

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Day pass available on-site $20.00

Total enclosed: $_____

Sorry…….No refunds after August 1, 2015.

Please pre-register by **August 1, 2015** and make checks payable to GWRRA-Region E
Send your check to: Carol White, 605 E Della St, Versailles, MO 65084
Phone: 573-378-7100

I/We agree to conform to and comply with the ideals governing this rally, and I/We further agree to hold harmless GWRRA, co-sponsoring organizations, or any property owner or owners for any loss or injury to self or property in which I/We may become involved by reason of participation in this rally.

Rider Signature:_____

Co-Rider Signature:_____

Missouri District

"Wingin the Ozarks"

With Old Friends and New

Branson Missouri

June 4th - 6th 2015

Full Registration Includes

Free Dinner Thursday evening ~ Observation Runs ~ Seminars

Light Show/Parade ~ Bike Show ~ Trade Show

Chapter Competitions ~ Master Gathering ~ Free Lunch Saturday

Free Ice Cream Social ~ (2) $7 Meal Vouchers

If Pre-Registered by May 1, 2015 you also receive:

***Dub Card (Entry into $250 Drawing)**

***Rally Pin to first 400 Pre-Registered**

Rally Lodging on Site at these Hotels ***(Be sure to mention GWRRA)***

AmazINN
3311 Sheperd of the Hills Expressway
Branson, MO. 65616
(417) 334-2300
$55.95 Plus Tax (Queen Rates)
Includes a Continental Breakfast

Southern Oaks Inn
3295 Shepard of the Hills Expressway
Branson, MO. 65616
(417) 335-8108
$55.95 Plus Tax (Queen Rates)
Includes a Continental Breakfast

For additional Rally Information contact Les & Sara Gibson, 636-223-2402 Email: modirles@gmail.com

Our Web Site is: www.mogwrra.org

Missouri District Rally June 4 ~ 6, 2015

Registration Form

Make checks payable to: **GWRRA of Missouri**
MAIL TO: **Glenn & Carol White, 605 Della, Versailles, MO 65084**

REGISTRATION: (Please Print)

Rider: _____GWRRA Number: _____

Co-Rider: _____GWRRA Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____/_____ (Month/Year) State/Chapter: _____ (ex. MO-A)

REP Master Tour Rider Number: (If applicable) Rider: _____ Co-Rider:_____

Address: _____

City _____State ____Zip Code: _____Telephone_____

Email: _____

Pre-Register before May 1, 2015: When pre-registered you will receive an entry card (DUB Card) into a drawing for $250! DUB card will be in your Registration packet you will receive at the Rally. Rally pin included with the first 400 pre-registrations.

FULL Registration on or before May 1, 2015:

GWRRA Members: $30.00 x _____people = $_____

Non-GWRRA Members: $40.00 x _____people = $_____

FREE Dinner Thursday evening x _____people

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED $_____

AFTER MAY 1, 2015 and on site registration:

GWRRA Members $35.00 x _____people = $_____

Non-GWRRA Members: $45.00 x _____people = $_____

FREE Dinner Thursday evening x _____people

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED $_____

Day Pass Available on site $20 (includes 1 meal voucher)
Children 15 years and under admitted free of charge.
Sorry…No Refunds after May 1, 2015

I/we agree to conform to and comply with the ideas governing the Rally, and I/we further agree to hold harmless GWRRA, Co-sponsoring organization or any property owner for any loss or injury which I/we become involved by reason or participation in the rally. I/we also agree to assume responsibility for any property that I/we knowingly damage. I have read and agree with all stipulations of this entry form.

Rider Signature: _____
Co Rider Signature: _____
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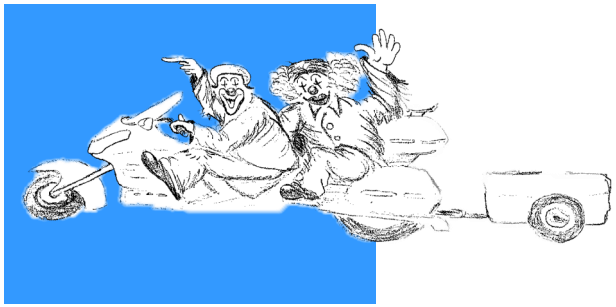
MFA Refresher CLASSES will be presented at the Rally. If you are interested in taking this class please check here with the number attending: #_____

GOLD WING ROAD RIDERS ASSOCIATION

Clowning Around in Sioux Falls!

NE/SD District Rally

June 25-27, 2015



Original Drawings by Dick Stamm

Convention Registration

☐ Registration $25.00 X _____People = $_____

☐ Non Members add $5.00 X _____People = $_____

Method of Payment Total: _____

☐ Check

☐ Cash

Remember: Registration fee goes up an additional $5.00 per person after May 31st.

Name Rider

Name Co-Rider

GWRRA Membership Number

Address

City/State/Zip

E-Mail

Phone

I/we agree to conform to and comply with the ideas governing the convention, and I/we further agree to hold harmless GWRRA, Co-sponsoring organization or any property owner for any loss or injury which I/we became involved by reason or participation in the rally. I/we also agree with all stipulations of this entry form.

Riders Signature

Co-Rider Signature

Send completed form along with payment to:

Rick & Robin Saunders 13836 X Circle, Omaha NE 68137

Email contact: gwrranesd@gmail.com

Make checks payable to "GWRRA NE/SD District"

Further contact information...

NE/SD District Directors	SD Assistant Director	NE Assistant Directors
Rick & Robin Saunders	Dallas Risling	Steve & Jennie Knode
402-895-7965 or	605-665-7526	308-436-1977 or
402-681-7556		308-631-2911

Your Registration Fee Includes The Following...

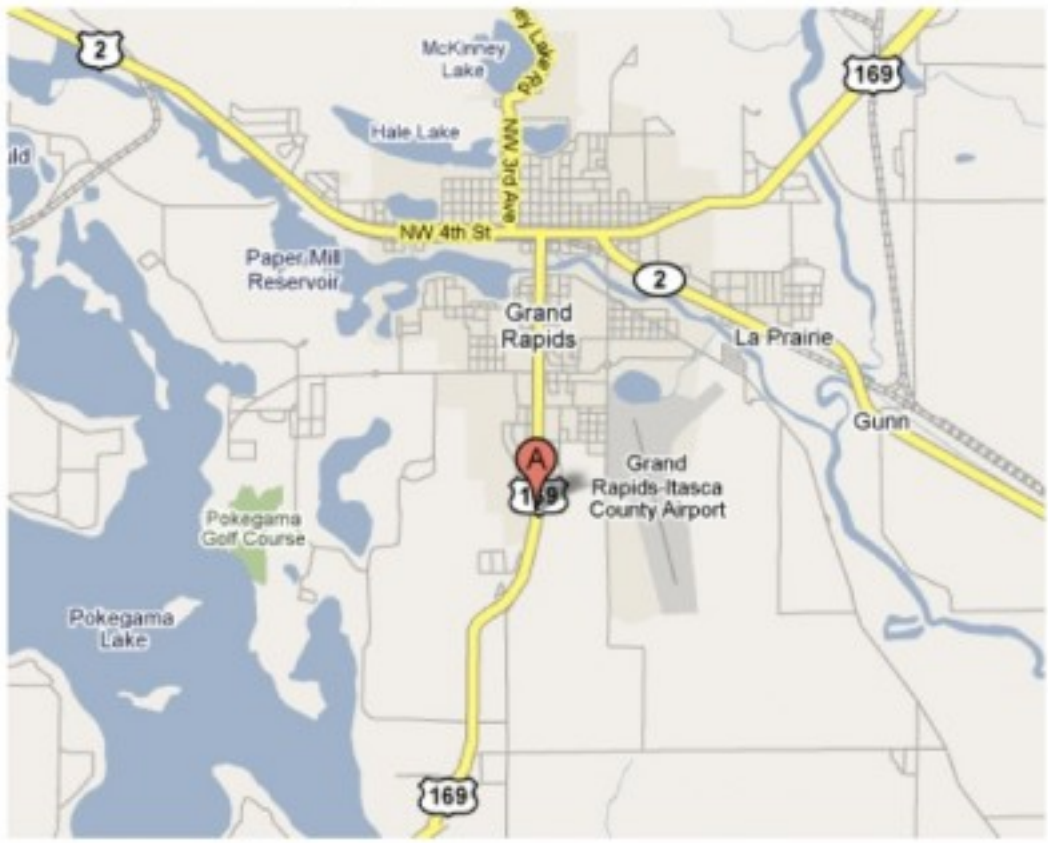
- Pin hanger to the first 100 registrants!
- Movie night on Thursday!
- Show and Shine event!
- Seminars!
- Discount Coupons!
- Observation Rides!
- Off Bike Games!
- Swap Table!
- Door Prizes!
- Free Meal On Friday!
- And More!

South Dakota

Nebraska

Region E

2015 GWRRA
DISTRICT CONVENTION / RALLY
"Rollin' Round the Rapids"
July 10 & 11 in Grand Rapids, Minnesota



HOST HOTEL
(Ask for the GWRRA Block)

SawMill Inn of Grand Rapids
Highway 169 South
2301 South Pokegama Ave
Grand Rapids, MN 55744
1-800-667-7508
http://www.sawmillinn.com/

For more information, contact
Scott & Joy Mattson
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Hopkins, MN. 55343
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Join us for:

Rider Ed & LTD Seminars

Pick one of 4 Guided Dinner Rides on Friday and Saturday Nights

"Wingo"

Movie Night

Light Parade

COY Selection

Bike & Mascot Show

More Fun, Friendship & Safety in the Northland

Illinois District Summer Rally

35th Anniversary

July 23rd-25th, 2015

Day's Inn, Rock Falls, IL 61071

KANSAS TWISTER DRILL TEAM WILL PERFORM

$1750 Given Away!!!

Come join us in celebration of our 35th Anniversary!

Full Registration includes: *Admission to all rally activities,* ***Kansas Drill Team,*** ***Bike*** *Show,* ***FREE*** *dinner on Friday night,* ***FREE*** *Ice Cream,* ***$10 voucher*** *for dinner on Saturday night.* ***Poker Run, MAD Parade, Day Rides, Games!***

Hotels Available: IL District

Days Inn, Rock Falls Rate $74.99
815-626-5500

Super 8 Rate $79.99
815-626-8800

Country Inn & Suites Rate $109
815-625-3200

Crow Valley Campground
Single Site $28
2 per site $20 Each
815-626-5376

Thursday Night Parking Lot Party
Sponsored by Culvers!
All proceeds Benefit
Happy Tails Animal Shelter
Bike Show, Car Show, Music,
Meal Deals, ***Sunset Ride***
Custard Eating Contest
Pet adoption available.

Rider_____ GWRRA #_____
Co-Rider_____ GWRRA #_____
Address:_____
City_____State_____Zip_____
Phone_____Email_____
Region_____District_____Chapter_____Current Position Held_____
Please list any children under 15_____

Full Registration	$25 x ____ = _____
Life Member	$20 x ____ = _____
Friday Day Pass	$15 x ____ = _____
Saturday Day Pass	$15 x ____ = _____

Grand Prize Tickets $1000/$500/$250
Must be present to win $1000.
6 for $5.00 x ____=_____

Total_____

Thursday Night Parking Lot Party

Will be attending _____
Enter into the unofficial Bike/Car show_____
Love FREE Ice Cream_____

MAD Parade attending _____
Must wear long pants and helmets to carry a flag.
Carry a Flag–Friday _____
Light Show–Friday _____

Registration at the door adds $5. Free dinner and dinner vouchers only to those who are fully registered. Armbands must worn on the wrist.

I/we agree to confirm to and comply with the ideas governing the rally, and I/we agree to hold harmless GWRRA, co-sponsoring organizations, or property owner for any loss or injury I/we become involved in by reason or participation in the rally. I/we agree to assume the responsibility for any property that I/we knowingly damage. I have read and agree with all stipulations on this entry form.
Rider Signature_____
Co-Rider Signature_____
Under 15 Guardian_____

Checks made out to : Illinois District Any Questions Contact: Mary Adams 815-535-8349 hondagirl711@yahoo.com

Mail to: Nicki Fowkes, 904 Jay Dee Ave, Dixon, IL 61071

EVENTS TO ENJOY

- District Couple of the Year
- Individual of the Year
- Seminars
- Bike Show
- Bike Games
- Raffle Prizes
- Guided Lunch Ride
- Wisconsin Upper Dells Boat Ride
- Evening Hospitality Room

Participate and have Fun !!

Early Bird Special

If you preregister before August 15, 2015, you will receive $5.00 off the Saturday evening Dinner and a Show. This will be a Buffet Dinner. That is $10.00 per couple!

**Some restrictions apply*

NEW this year...

DINNER AND A SHOW

Saturday dinner with a talent show to follow.
All for *only* $10 per person!

Mail Preregistration form *by*
August 15, 2015 to:
Jill Krizizke
697 Ellis St
Fond du Lac, WI. 54935

Please make checks payable to:
GWRRA WI

Questions?
Call Jerry Hempe 920-979-5967
Director@gwrra-wi.org

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WISCONSIN RALLY

2015

September 18-19

Wintergreen Resort
in
Wisconsin Dells

DELLS BOAT TOURS

FRIDAY
SEPTEMBER 18
$20 PER PERSON
(to be collected at Rally)

Sub sandwiches will be provided by the district during the tour

A Dells Boat Tour is more than an awesome journey through scenery, history and legends - it's your opportunity to experience the natural beauty and mystery of Wisconsin Dells in just about every way imaginable.

The river channel in the Upper Dells is scenic, with Dells Boats revealing amazing sights at every turn. Marvel at the high cliffs and dramatic formations, navigate through the treacherous Devil's Elbow, and go ashore to explore mysterious Witches Gulch and see the famous dog leap at Stand Rock on our two exclusive and unforgettable shorelandings. A 2-hour tour.

Wisconsin District Rally

in

Wisconsin Dells®

at the

WINTERGREEN RESORT
& CONFERENCE CENTER

60 Gasser Road,
Lake Delton, WI. 53940
800-648-4765 to reserve room

Discounted Room Rates:
Double Queen $69.00
Family Room $79.00
Luxury Suite $119.00
Grand Suite $169.00

Mention GWRRA to get room rate
Block held until August 15, 2015

September 18-19, 2015
Two full days of *FUN* !!!

PREREGISTRATION FORM

Full Registration	$20x____=$_____
Full Registration Nonmember	$25x____=$_____
Friday Day Pass	$15x____=$_____
Saturday Day Pass	$15x____=$_____
Friday Day Pass Nonmember	$20x____=$_____
Saturday Day Pass Nonmember	$20x____=$_____
(At-the-Door pricing-add $5 per person)	
Dinner & Show (before 8/15/15)	$ 5x____=$_____
Dinner & Show (after 8/15/15)	$10x____=$_____

TOTAL ENCLOSED $_____

Rider: _____

GWRRA Number: _____

Address: _____

City, St, Zip: _____

I/We are interested in riding the
Dells Boat Tour #_____ ($ to be collected at Rally)

Co-Rider: _____
GWRRA Number: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

DISTRICT: _____ Chapter: ____

POSITION: _____

I/We agree to hold harmless the GWRRA, its officers and representatives or persons sponsoring this event for loss or injury to myself or property in which I may become involved by reason of participation in this convention/rally.
Sign below.

Rider: _____

Co-Rider: _____

Reinig Center

1007 Prospect Drive

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Information Contact:

Tom & Sue Wright

District Directors

319-431-4077

E-mail:

gwrrawright@mediacombb.net

Hotels:

Designer Inn & Suites 641-484-5678

Super 8 641-484-5888

Rate: $62.00 plus tax

Camping: Toledo Heights Park

Rate: Free ~ primitive

Registration form on-line @
www.gwrra-iowa.com